Glass Kaleidoscope

CPA Redesign
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Problems With Current Design

- "Uninspiring"
- "Dead, it's uncomfortable and colorless. I would never thinl that I was in a music or theatre building."
- "Not a functional place at all. It's wasted space."
- "I'm not sure what the purpose is. Most days I just walk through it without even noticing what's around me."
-"It's not a place that I'd want to spend any sort of time in. We need a place to hang out and eat between class or before rehearsal and right now we don't have that."

Goals

- Use students to help redesign the current CPA and change it into a student-design inspiring area.
-Use colors and art to provide a welcoming and interesting environment that reflects the students that participate in the theatre, art and music department.
- Provide a comfortable place for people to relax.
- Make use of the space that is currently there in an efficient, environmentally friendly and cost effective way.

Overview of Remodeled CPA

Outside View

Inside View #1

Inside View #2

View- Sitting on Inside Bench

Example of Statues

Metal Statues of Musicians, Theatrical Poses, etc.

This Statue was done by a grad student at Washington University and is something that could easily be a project for art and sculpture students at Miami University.

Hanging Art

Recycled Stained Glass

Recycled Glass

- AGG Glass is a company that provides different types of recycled glass (Landscape, Terrazzo, etc.)
  - Transparent glass- very reasonable prices (≈$70/50 lbs. of glass) that can be purchased by the University
  - Windows of the current size
  - Both materials will be provided to art students at Miami University and the colored glass will be placed- using clear adhesive or whatever material the art students find best suited- upon the spare window
  - Using window insulation glue, the spare window with glass attached will then be placed next to the already existing windows- providing a colorful and inspiring new look to the CPA.
  - Not only will the windows provide art to this space, but will use the already existing natural light to create colorful effects on the floors and walls.

Thank You